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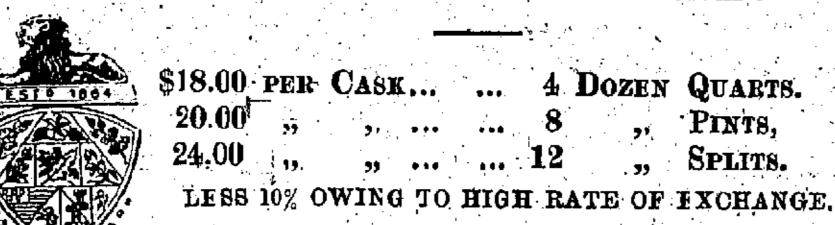
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Ir is almost if not quite impossible for an individualist to write about socialism without being told that that—the ideas he scouts as visionary and absurd-is not socialism. It must be admitted that the average man, with his feet firmly planted on the rock-bottom of commonsense, is unlikely to be well grounded in the latest formula to expect him to waste much of his time in mastering the latest samples of their jargon. Broadly, it is quite possible for him to understand what they are all driving at, without being able to show familiarity with the shibboleths of their latest sect. The The address was interpreted to them by one of common retort that his summary of their the members of the Association. position is all wrong may really be taken as evidence that no two socialists advocate just the same socialism. There is, in fact, no socialistic doctrine that can be said to have universal application. If one school of socialists were to seem likely to get their own ideas carried into practice, there would be plenty of socialists to rise up in profest. It is as opponents of the basic idea of socialism, as well as of its most recent e programme," that we venture to waste a little space on these comments. We take it that, if the Sermon on the Mount were to be acted upon by the whole of Christendom

the socialists of all sorts and sects would have nothing left to clamour for. So far as that goes, it is an admission in favour of the socialists. As we understand the position of both parties, the term Christian-Socialist is tautological, for a pukka Christian must be, ipso facto, a pukka Socialist, and a pukka Socialist professes merely Christian ethics. This would leave us without a leg to stand on, if Christendom had not, with marvellous unanimity, agreed tacitly that some of its own accepted ideals are impracticable. The minority which consents to turn the other cheek, to offer its coat also to the thief who has stolen its cloak, is so small as to be quite a negligible quantity in any census. If it exists at all, a possibility we are bound to admit though we have never been fortunate enough to encounter it, it no doubt deserves a pedestal of honour all to itself, though, as common place men in a commonplace community, we cannot rise to the moral grandeur of ignoring its practical worked by foolishness. Simple old Convectus saw rank injustice in the ideal of blessing and doing good to his enemies: how then, he enquired, can I reward my friends? One has to have a complex mind, to which the paradox child's-play, to recognise the utilitarianism of the ideal which Christendom professes, without, as we say, putting it into practice. The broad ideals of socialism are practically identical, and we are by no means cynical in confessing our faith that the demagogues of communism will fail even as the priests have failed. The right of the individual to own property is in no real danger, notwithstanding the alarming signs of the times. The sanctity of incomes earned, in the regular ways, will even throw the mantle of protection over what the pauper proletariat loves to call unearned incomes. The capitaliet is as inevitable as to-morrow's dawn and thrift is a virtue that will not be robbed of its reward, though all the wasters of the world were suddenly to develop a unanimity of which at present they seem happily incapable. False, therefore, was the alarm of the London writer who was recently scared into saying that few old residents of the Fur East would be ready to admit that their "hoarded earnings, whether invested in a Scotch estate or in well-chosen securities, might be claimed, as a matter of right, by any body of English workmen. The earnings of an old Eastern have, as a rule, been obtained at much personal sacrifics, at the risk of exposure to doubtful and dreaded climates, an under circumstinces of competi ion and struggle to which the fluent Socialist orator is an entire stranger." That will certainly receive the immediate and unqualified endorsement of every reader who has made or hopes to make his pile in the unhealthy Orient. It is, moreover, significant of the impression that the Socialists must have been making at Home. It is quite pathetic, and it is a genuine pleasure to feel as confident as we do in at once thus allaying the nervousness of those who may be weak enough to take the socialistic peril seriously. Already there are signs of the inevitable reaction. The British voter has begun to show his lack of confidence in the utopia-mongers. He is but a sheep after all, and it would not matter much if he did not come to his senses now and then. Those imbecile demagogues of his might easily protest against the solar spots, but the sun | vocalists. would go on shining just the same.

Messre, Lane, Crawford & Co. announce the last four days of their bargain sale in the Ladies' Department which during the past week has proved a great attraction to the ladies.

The performance of "Rob Roy" at the Theatre Royal by the Kowloon Dooks Amateur Dramatic Company has, on account of the Interport Cricket match, been postponed to Weduseday the 20th inst.

The Captain-Superintendent of Police is calling for tenders for the purchase of waste food from Victoria Jail during next year, and of the dreamers. It would be unreasonable | the Principal Civil Medical Officer calls for in tenement houses.

A large number of Chinese listened to the

General Stoessel is stopping at a hotel in Berlin with his daughter, and expects to visit a sanatorium soon. He is suffering from heart trouble, and, indeed was so ill on September 23, that a doctor had to be summoned. G. neral Stoessel states that the worry of Port Arthur was the origin of the trouble.

At the meeting of the Sanitary Board to be held to-morrow a letter will be read from the Government relative to a cemetery for Chinese at Kai Lung Wan. Draft byelaw No. 5 of the domestic cleanliness and ventilation byelaws will also be considered, and a number of applications for exemption from the requirements of certain sections of the Public Health and Buildings Ordinance.

In nearly all the districts of London the price TELEGRAMS. of bread has been raised a halfpenny per quarter loaf, and should the cost of flour still continue to advance, a further increase is probable.

Schedules appear in the Gazette relating to the Queen's Recreation Ground and the Wong neichong Recreation Ground, setting out when different Clubs are at liberty to play cricket, football and other gam s on these grounds.

His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint, under the provisions of section 7 of the Public Health and Buildings Amendment Ordinance, 1903, Lance Sergeant William Pitt to be a sanitary inspector, vice Police Sergeant Mackay on leave.

To-day, 11th November, is the birthday of His Majesty the King of Italy, and Comm | have been knighted. Volpicelli will be at the Italian Consulete General from 10 a.m. to 11:3) a.m. to receive

Mr. Brennan, inventor of the mono-rail gyroscopic carriages, has been granted £3,000 by the Indian Government towards the cost of his experiments in connection with the design of the sull-sized mono-rail vehicle which he is building for that Government."

H.E. Viceroy Tuan Fang, of the Liangkiang provinces, has asked the amotion of the Throne to apply a portion of the revenues of the Hankow and Chingkiang Customs to the establishment and maintenanc, of a proposed military college nuder the supervision of the Ministry of War.

The extract of meteorological o'servations made at the Observatory during the month of October show that the average maximum temperature was 83.4 and the minimum 75.4 degrees. The rainfall during the same period was 8.965 inches, and there were 191,2 hours of

It is notified in the Gazette with reference t Government Notification No. 243 of the 7th April, 1904, that Ferd. Sönksen has been added to the list of persons exempted from the operation of Bye-laws 2, 3, 4 and 5 of the Public Health and Buildings Ordinatos, 1903 (Ordinance No. 1 of 19 3), Schedule B, Poisons.

The funds of the Society of St. Vincent de Paul mu thave been muterially augmented by the ai fresco fête held in the compound of the Roman Catholic Cathedral last night. As in previous years, there was a large and cosmopolitan crowd in attendance, and from their prodigulity it would appear that they were in sympathy with the object for which the fets: was promoted. An energet'c committee worked hard to further the object of the prometer, and the band of H.M.S. Bedford assist d with by borrowing. excellent music. H.E. the Governor and Lady Lugard attended

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A most enj vable concert was given on Saturday evening at the Y.M.C.A. rooms, Alexandra Buildinge. Mr. B. L. Frost, who made all the arrangements for the concert. presided, and the contributors to the programm. were Mrs. Broughall, Mrs. J. M. Beck, Mrs. Kew, Mrs. Williams, . miss Whiteley, Mr. Broughall and Mr. George Grimble. A distinctive feature of the concert was the singing of Mrs. Broughall, a new arrival, and it is to be hoped she will be heard at more ambitious concerts during the season. By the audience who were privileged to hear her on Saturday she was persuade him to join in a demonstration of regarded as the prima donna among local

## RAILWAY NOTES.

As work progresses on the Kowloon Canton Railway construction, improvements to expedite it are being introduced. The works at the south face of the tunnel at Kowlontsai are fitted with the latest electrical appliances. There, now, it is always day. Darkness cannot impede the progress of the work, for when night direct numerous powerful are lamps, the latest extent, light up the surroundings and enable the workmen to carry on with the same case as in daylight. These lights are also being installed at the north face of the tunnel.

Shatin valley, which is surrounded by high tenders for limewashing floors and back yards | hills, is a very unhealthy place. There the deadly malaria reigns, and so prevalent has it been among the excavators and others employed there that the Railway Auinteresting story of the life of Christ told by thorities had to consider what could be done to Professor Harlan P. Beach of Yele University protect the health of the employees. On one side of the works is a high and steep bill. occurred to one of the engineers that if the men's quarters were built on the top of this, much illness might be averted. Accordingly a bungalow was erected high up on the bill, and now the workmen are housed in the bracing atmosphere of the heights. It is a long, steep climb however, to reach the quarters, and it was not plunder in order to provide funds for the long after the innovation that complaints were rife among the workmen about the exhausting finish to a hard day's work. Their voices were not raised in vain. The employers were generous, and now the men return home in

chairs after work. But this is not all. The Railway Authorities have decided on an overhead wire railway from the works to the bungalow. The machinery for this is already in the railway stores and it is expected that this novelty will be in working order within the next three or four months.

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London, November 10th. The Rev. Herbert Molony has been appointed bishop of Mid-China.

## NEW KNIGHTS.

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### A ROYAL BIRTH.

London, November 10th. The Crown Princess of Germany has given birth to a son.

REUTER'S SERVICE.

THE KAISER'S VISIT TO ENGLAND.

LONDON, November 7th. As a result of urgent representations of King Edward and Queen Alexandra, the Kaiserin has agreed to accompany the Kaiser

THE THREATENED RAILWAY STRIKE,

on his visit to England.

London, November 7th. In spite of the ballot on the 4th instant, the railway dispute has been settled by the adoption of a system of conciliation and arbitration on the questions of wages and

THE SAN FRANCISCO ELECTIONS

London, November 7th.

The San Francisco elections have resulted n the return of the reform party.

## RUSSIA.

London, November 8th. The estimates of the Ministry of Finance for 1908 show a deficit of 198,000,000 rbls. of which 67,000,000 are on account of the war with Japan. The deficit will be covered

ASIATICS IN BRITISH COLUMBIA.

LONDON, November 8th. A new political party, headed by Mr. Martin, an ex Premier, is about to be formed in British Columbia with the object of excluding Asiatics.

## ECCLESIASTICAL.

LONDON, November 8th.

The Archbishop of Canterbury bas\_nominated the Reverend Herbart Malony, of Jebulpur, to the Bishopric of Mid China, in succession to Bishop Moule.

## THE FINANCIAL SITUATION.

LONDON, November 8th.

The drain of gold to America con inues, notwithstanding the increase of the Bank rate to 7 per cent., which increase is partially counteracted by the good effect of the settlement of the railway disput. The French Bank rate has been raised from 31

LAUNCH OF THE "SUPERB."

LONDON, November 8th.

H.M.S. Superb, the latest battleship of the Dreadnought type has been launched at

## BRITISH TRADE.

LONDON, November 8th. The imports and exports of the United Kingdom show increases of £3,025,054 and £5,085,189 respectively. "The imports of grain and flour have increased by £3,000,000, and the export of manufactured goods has increased by £3,750,000, of which latter £1,000,000 is in cotton fabrics.

### [N. C. Daily News Service,] THE YLADIVOSTOK MUTINY. Tokyo, November 2nd.

Vladivostok is now quiet. There is an unconnemed report of a riot among workmen at Nicolaievak on the night of the 31st ultimo, togother with persistent rumours of riots imminent elsewhere, following upon the Vladivostok Two revolutionary papers at Irkutsk are

steadily agitating for a revolution. It is persistently rumoured that revolutionists between Harbin and Khita are plotting a system of furtherance of the agitation.

November 3rd. The "Asahi" learns from Vladivostok that the situation is again showing signs of unrest, Since Saturday morning the market has been

Arrests to the number of 150 have been made at Vladivostok among soldiers, sailors and civilians. It appears that agitators have long been working among the garrison troops and sailors to produce a mutiny. Merchantmen steamed out of the herbour before the firing began.

The crew of the torpede best destroyer Serdity also mutinied, but was qualled.

## LOCAL SPORT.

CRICKET

INTERPORT CRICKET.

The Committee have decided to select the team to represent Hougkong against Shanghai from among the following players :-

Messrs, R. Hancock, H. Hancock, W. C. D. Turner, T. E. Pearce, A. E. Lanning, H. R. Makin, Major H. E. Lowis, 119th Inf., Capt. M. H. Beasley, R. A. A. Claxton, A. W. J. Peake, Corpl. Sharpe, 3rd Mid. Regt., J. H. Irvine, W. Edwards and R. C. Witchell. A practice match will be played on the grou d on Wednesday, November 13th, commencing at 3 p.m., the teams being composed of the players above mentioned.

THE APPROXIMATE PROGRAMME. The approximate programme for the entertainment of the visitors is as under :--Thursday, November 14. Shanghai Team

arrive per s.s. "Arcalia" at 2 p.m. Afternoon devoted to practice. Flower show at Public Gardens. No amusements to be

arranged for the evening. Friday, November 15. Morning and afternoon devoted to practice. No amusements to be arranged for the

Saturday, November 16. Match Hongkong. v. Shanghai commences at 11 s.m. (A Tennis. match will be played if it is decided to com-

mence the Cricket match on Monday.) Tiffin in Pavilion 1.15. p.m. Play obases 5 p.m. Fête on Cricket Ground 9 p.m. until midnight. Supper after 10.30 p.m. at the Hongkong Club which is being thrown open to ladies

invited by members. Sunday, November 17. Possible Golf match.

No amusements to be arranged for the Monday, November 18, Continuation of

Match as on 16th. St. Andrew's Ball Practice at City Hall 5-7 p.m.

Musical Tableaux Vivants at City Hall 9-10.3) p.m. Tuesday, November 19. Continuation of

Match as on 16th and 18th, if necessary, or possibly Match between the Shanghai Team and the "United Services,"

Concert at City Hall 9 p.m. in Aid of Masonic

We inesday, November 20. Continuation of Match as on 16th and 18th, if necessary, or possibly Match between the Shanghai Team and the "United Services."

Dinner to the Interport-Teams 8 p.m., Hongkong Hotel, Kowloon Dock A. D. C. performs ce at the City Hall 9 p.m; "Rob

2 hurs lay, November 21. Visitors depart per Empreis of Japan," Blake Pier, 3 p.m. N. B The time fixed for the usual Tennis

match will be notified later. No Tennis can be played on the ground on Wedne day, November 13, as a practice Cricket game will be in progress, the players being those from whom the Committee will select the team to represent Hongkong.

POSSIBLES V. PROBABLES

T. F. Pearce, c Lowis, b Witchell

The match on Saturday at the ground of the H.K.C.C. was between the possibles and probab. s. and ended in a win for the latter team by 40 runs. Scores and analyses are :-

PROBABLES.-First Innings.

R. Hancock, b Hutchison

W. CO. Turner, c Claxton, b Witchell ... 67 A. E. Lanning, b Irvine
H. R. Makin, c Hutchison, b Lowis
22 H. Hancock, b Irvine Capt. Beasley, N.A., c Stevens, b Lowis... Lt. J. M. G. Taylor, b Irvine.... A. W. J. Peake, not out Corpl. Sharpe, 3rd Mid., b Lowis....... Extras ..... Total......212, Possibles.—First Innings. R. C. Witchell, b Peake E. A. Fowler, c R. Hancock, b Makin ... 1 Maj. Lowis, c Bearley, b Makin ...... 1 Maj. Chitty, c Pcake, b Makin W. Edwards, h Sharpe F. H. Stevens, c Lanning, b MaKin Capt. Stanger-Leathes, c.Powell, b Sharpe 21 C. Irvine, b Sharpe A. R. Lowe, not out 

BOWLING ANALYSIS. PROBABLES.-First Innings. Stanger-Leathes ...... 3 F. H. Stevens.... R. O. Hutchison..... 4 C. Irvine ...... 14 Possibles. - First Innings. Corp. Sharpe ........... 15.4 A. W. J. Peake ...... 13 H. R. Makin Capt. Heasley,, R.A.... T. E. Peace

CIVIL SERVICE D. ROYAL ARTILLERY. Played on the Civil Service ground at Happy Valley on Saturday, this league match ended in a win for the home team by 40 runs. The victory was due to the splendid batting of the Hon. Dr. Atkinson, who made a total of 77 runs before being dismissed. Scores are :-CIVIL SERVICE. -First Innings.

A. Pile, c Torr, b Richards E. W. Dawson, b Humphreys ...... T. R. Adams, c Owens, b Gradwell ...... P. T. Lamble, b Gradwell ..... A. Hinlow, not out J. McKay, run out G. Hoggarth, e Torr, b Richards..... F. Bacon, e and b Torr A. Thornhill, e Gradwell, b Richards ..... Extras Total ......138 ROYAL GARRISON ARTILLERY.-First Innings.

Inst.-Gunner Torr, et Adams, b Pile ..... 13 Bom. Humphreys, e Dr. Atkinson, b Pile 5 C. S. M. Owen, c Dawson, b Pile ...... 14 G. Gradwell, not out Segt. Bush, b Pile ...... 10 G. Whitworth, c Adams, b Pile ............................... 18 - Jarvis, e Thornhill, b Pile ..... - Gardener, run out - Bichards, e Dawson, b Brett ........... 2 Cpl. Marshall, b Brett Extras ...... 5

## BOWLING ANALYSIS. Pile...... 10 Bacon...... Shalla -

POLICE V. Y. M. C. A. This match took place on the Police Recrat tion ground at Happy Valley on Saturday, an ended in a win for the visitors by 46 runs;

Cooper, b Evans, b G. Evans ...... 0 Shepherd, c Evans, b G. Evans ..... 7

McLannar, o Evans, L G. Evans ..... Lander, run ont, e J. Chance, b P. Dong 10 Bell, 0 Evans, b G. Evans ...... Ic Watt, run out, c Chance, b W. Dong ..... McHardy, not out ..... 12 Parr, c Chance, b G. Evans Taylor, e D. Wong, b D. Wong Gordon, c G. Evane, b D. Wong Boulger, run out, b Alavi Extras Geo, Evans, b Bell

H. White, l.b.w., b Lander

J. Loft, c Shipped, b Lander

George Lee, b Lander

6 E. S. M. Sir Fung, run out A. P. Greaves, b Taylor ..... 5 A. G. Siemssen, e Nelson, b Launder ..... 12 Y. M. Juman, c Taylor, b Lanniler J. Chumett, not out BOWLING ANALYSIS.

I. STEPHEN'S COLLEGE V. CHINESE Y.M.C.A. A match was played at Conceway Bay on Saturday morning between these teams, the result being a win for the Y.M.C.A. by two wickets and two runs.

W. Wong ...... 6

### BOXING

" Billy " Bellew has challenged Roberts of the Navel Yard to a twenty-round contest, for \$250 aside, and a percentage of the takings. The fight will take place at the City Hall on the first Saturday in December, and should prove a willing one, for Roberts, has shown on previous occasions that he is no mean exponent of the noble art.

### FOOTBALL,

H.K.F.C. U. BOYAL ENGINEERS. In Saturday the Hongkong Football Club met the Royal Engineers at Happy Valley in a friendly Soccer match, and defeated them by three geals to one. The players were: H.K.F.C. : Chinchen ; Ironside and Garrett,

L'nton, E. Humphreys and Weall; Weaser; Battiscombe, Hall, Eager, and Sayer. Engineers : M'Crory : Henwood and Morrish ; Coxon, A. Amphlett and J. Amphlett; Vaughan, Hutchisen, Beardmore, Drummond, and Boul-

Although this game was a fast one, neither team displayed the skill and stamina which is begot by pr. ctice, and which will, no doubt, be their's later in the reason. The forward line of the soldiers was minus a good goal kicker, and thus their capable play in midfield served them little when the civilians were forced to defend, the attempts to not going wide of the mark. Passing play with both teams was excellent, but the Club played with better combination, and the forwards proved more expert in shooting. Towards the end of the first half play was before the soldiers stronghold. A pretty centre was put in, and a rapid shot by Hager placed the ball in the net.

Half-lime : H.K.F.C., 1 ; Engineers, 0. Opening play in the second half was again in favour of the Club, who forced the Engineers to defend. In the previous half Weaser had had little to do, play being mostly on the left wing. This time he got opportunity for a centre, placed it nicely, and Eager who was ready to receive it added another goal to the Club's score. Shortly after this Linton followed with a third. Then the Engineers carried play into their opponents' territory, and although they had their opportunities they failed through bad shooting. Finally, however, Boulger was successful in getting through, and notched the soldiers first and only goal.

Final: II.K.F.C., 3; Engineers, 1.

## YACHTING.

C.Y.C. OPENING CRUISE. Yesterday the members of the Corinthian Yacht Club had their opening cruise, and as neual, made it a picuic and regatta for the entertainment of numerous ladies and friends. Futachau was the place, and here, in the ruin of the old Customs Station, about 150 sat down to tiffin. Over twenty craft turned out, and there were several launches. Mrs. E. M. Hazeland, introduced by the Commodore, Dr. Clarke, presented the prizes, mostly silver trophies, the winners being as indicated in the following list.

Motor boat race (time allowance):- let, Mr. Lyons, "Nellie"; 2nd, Mr. J. W. Kew. Handicap Class Yachts. - (raced by members not boat-owners) lat Mr. Summers' "Eva". 2nd, Mr. Ramsay's "Caress."

Ladies' Race, One Design Boats. -1st, Miss Hoskins, in Mr. Pearman's "Spray"; 2ud, Mrs. Pepper, in Mr. Crake's "Theola." Motor blats.—let, Mr. Lyons; 2nd, Mr. Kew. Handicap Class (open).-Mr. Summers' 'Eva"; 2nd, Mr. Saunders "Tremona." One Design (open).—lst, Mr. R. Witchell's "Asthore"; 2nd, Mr. Crave's "Theola." Cruisers (steered by ladies)-1st, Mrs. Rodger

in the "Dorothy"; 2nd, Mrs. Hazeland in the "Alannah," Mrs. Hazeland was presented with a bouquet " in a silver holder The officials were as follows :-

Judges: - Mesers, J. Hand and W. A. Crake. Clerks of the Course: -Messrs. E. M. Hazeland and D. Templeton. Motor Boat Handicappers :- Messra. E. M.

Hazeland and W A. Crake. Starter: -Mr. M. Clver. Time Keepers :- Messrs. T. Meek and C. J. Cooke.

Stewards: -Messrs. H. Pearman and W. Bassford. Hon Treasurer, Mr. A. McKirdy; Hon. Sec. Mr. Lewis Guy. Without the exertions of the last two named, the outing could not have been

so successful as it was,

### THE KING'S BIRTHDAY.

THE BLYISW.

Saturday was the sixty-sixth birthday of His Majesty the |Ling and in Hongkong, as in | the following :-other parts of the Empire, the occasion was fittingly celebrated. The usual review was held Miss Allaway. Hon Dr and Mrs J M at Happy Valley, and at an early hour in the Atkinson, Mr and Mrs F R J Adams, Mr morning crowds of citizens were making their way in that direction. The streets leading to Mr and Mrs Tudaichi Arima, Captain and Mrs the great sport centre of Hongkong were crowded. Soldiers were marching there, the trams were packed and there were no idle ricshas. It was a warm day with brilliant sui shine, and the Valley was seen at its best. The surrounding hills were devoid of mist, and on the heights of Bowen Road many spectators could be discorned watching the evolutions of the troops. These were not so numerous as in previous years, and it was again noticeable that the fleet was not represented, a circumstance which many people who admire the unrivalled marching of the "handym in " regretted. But if the men in khaki were not so numerous as before the spec ators were, if anything, more so, Cosmopolitan Hongkong turned out in full force. European ladies in pretty summer attire mixed with gaudily dressed Chinese, spic and span officers and foreign sailors in their uniforms, the crowd presenting a picture that can be seen in few other places than Hongkong.

hard battles are fought, was for the time the parade ground of nearly 2000 armed men. The troops were early on the scene, and Colonel Darling and his staff soon had them in position. so that when His Excellency the Governor. the was escerted by members of the Hongkong Volunteer Troop, arrived, all were ready to receive him. His Excellency, who was mounted on a spirited black pony, was accompanied by his A.D.C. to the saluting base. Here as he took up his position the Union Jack was hoisted and the feu de joie opened. First the loud mouthed cannon, then the rifle fire. When the echo of the report of the last gun had died away, Colonel Darling called for three cheers for his Majesty, Needless to say three willing and hearty cheers followed, the echo from 2000 voices reverberating among the bills.

Then the march past, Colonel Darling and the staff officers, Major Ross D.A.Q.M.C., and Captain Hart Synott, took up positions with H.E. the Governor at the saluting base, immediately opposite this, and in the centre of the enclosure, being the massed bands. When all was ready the band struck up a stirring martial air, and the soldiers stopped off. As each regiment neared the saluting base the bind played its particular march.

The troops passed the saluting base in the AMra Currie. following order:—Hongkong Volunteer Troop, M Royal Carrison Artillery, Royal Engineers, O Daird. Mr C D Drew 3rd Midd, Mr D E Ralpha, Capt Ranking, Mr L wis Rees, Lt Colonies to represent the matter in this light to Middlesex Regiment, Royal Army Medical Corps, Hongkong Volunteer Corps, Hongkong and Singapore Royal Carrison Artillery, 119th Infantry, 129th Baluchis, Indian Medical Staff. There were on parade 16 units of the

Volunteer Troop: R.G.A., 415; Royal Engineers, 185; Middlesex, 201; R.A.M.C., 3 Volunteers, 58; H.K.S.B.R.G.A., 307; 119th Infantry, 26'; 129th Baluchis, 250; Indian Medical Staff, 3.

The march past was an excellent one; and 's company after company passed the base showing an even front and a steady line of co'd steel they were cheered by the spectators, who also saluted the colours of various regiments which were borne on high by the standard bearers. The march past finished, and the troops were formed up in review order and marched back to barracks. At noon a royal salute was fired from the British and foreign battleships in port.

The city on Saturday was adorned with flags, while the harbour afforded a pretty view, almost every kind of craft on the water being alive with bunting. Special care had been taken in the dressing of the battleships, which certainly looked very attractive.

THE BIRTHDAY DINNER. On Saturday evening at Government House his Excellency and Lady Lugard entertained some seventy guests to dinner. The Gevernor and his lady proved admirable hosts, and those who attended to do honour to His Mejesty spent a very enjoyable evening. They were the | KN, Ensign W D Greeth m USN, Mr and | and Mrs E Stevenson, Mr N C S Simson | further amount as transit duties, which shall not Rt. Rev. Bishop Pozzoni, His Honour Mr. Justice Wise, H.F. Colonel C. H. Darling, Hon. Mr. F. H. and Mrs. May, Hon. M. A. M. Thomson, Hon. Mr. W. Rees Davies, Hon. Mr. W. and Mrs. Chatham, Hon. Dr. J. M and Mrs. Atkinson, Hon. Sir Paul Chater, Hon. Mr. E. A. Hewett, His Honour Mr. Justice Gompertz, Hon. Mr. A. W. and Mrs. Brewin, Hon. Dr. Ho Kai, Hon. Mr. Wei Yuk. Hon, Mr. H. E. and Mrs. Pollock, Hon. Commander Basil R. H. Taylor and Mrs. Taylor, The Ven. Archdescon and Mrs. Banister, Capt. F. W. and Mrs. Lyons, Mr. A. G. M. Fletcher, Rev. F. T. Johnson, Mr. R. H. Scovell, Mr. E J. H. Droeze, Chevalier Volpicelli, Mr. B. de Szentirmay, M. R. Soulange Teissler, Dr. and Mrs. Voretzsch, Mr. S. Mashike, Mr. and Mrs. Bribonia, Consul General Romano, Lt. Col. Horsey, R. N., Sub-Lieut Hampton RE, Sub- | Volpicelli Mr and Mrs Vernon, IXV, Mr Dumbleton, Colonel F. E. Kent, Lt. Col. Scott- | Lieut R V de Hampton B V, H in Dr Ho Kai, T. C Vernon, Capt and Mrs Vaughan Lee, RN, | Opium Guild which is controlled by natives Monorieff and Mrs. Scott Monorieff, Major and Mr and Mrs W G and Miss Humphreys, Mr Flag Commander Vyoyan. Mrs. Chitty, Lieut. Col. and Mrs. Carter, Lt. Col. Reid, Lient. Col. and Mrs. Seymour, Mr. A. B. Ogle, Mr. Fung Waschun, Mr. Lau Chup.k, Mr. Ho Kam-tung, Mr. Chau Sui-ki, Sir Henry and Lady Berkeley, Major, Mrs. and Miss Chapman, Mr D. R. Law, Mr. McI Messer, Mr. and Mrs. Shewan, Mr. G. W. Eves, Mr. and Mrs. Rennie and Captain Monteiro.

## THE MISSING BANK SHROFF.

A reward of \$1.0 0 is being offered for information leading to the arrest of Chau Kwok, shroff of the Hongkong branch of the Russo-Chinese Bank, who has absconded with a considerable sum of money. His defalcations, are reported, in the neighbourhood of a lakh of dollars. It goes without saying that the shroff on his appointment gave security for a large sum and the unfortunate guarantors are anxious to secure his arrest.

For the King's Birthday Ball at Government House to night, invitations have been issued to

De G E Aubrey, Captain W Armstrong, J Armstrong, Mrs J M and Miss Armstrong, THE Anderson RGA, Mr E A Anderson, Rev D Arvat, Mr R D Atkinson, Surgeon, W F Archibald RN, Lieut HF Armitage RN, Eng. Lieut A S Alien RN Mr F Auston, Dr Edward Armitage, Ward Room-Officers of HMS

" Astraea. Mr J W Bolles, Ven Archdeacon Banister, E C Blanchflower RN, Mr A A H and Mrs Belilio's, Mr J B Boulton, Miss Boulton, Mr Mr and Mrs JM Brok, Mr and Mrs B Baker, Mr Barton, Miss Bird, Capt GT Bristley RGA The large and picturesque amphitheatre, E. H. Bonham, Capt. F. P. Butcher R G.A. Room Officers of HMS Bedford, Mr R F Brave, Capt S O Boyd, Miss Beather, Eng | Mr and Mrs A W Brewin, Lieut N B C Brock Mrs Bevindongue, Dr and Mrs Bell, Mr Guy Barrett, Mr J G G do Bernado.

Mr E S Carruthers, Mr and Mrs D W Mr G Crujokshank, Mr H F Chord, Captain and Mrs P H Collingwood RAMC Hon Mr. W Chatham CMG Mrs and Miss Chatham, Lt. Col and Mrs J T Rarver APD Brother Cyprian Mr and Mrs Duncan Clark, Dr Francis | Clark, Miss A C Carr, Hon Sir C Paul Chater | CMG. M and Mme de Champeaux, Mr and Mr and Mrs F C Clayson Mr and Mrs J Mrs Clothier Mr E J Chapman, Rev and Mrs HH Chambers RN, Lt Comm, HB Cox RN Lieut JRC Cavendish RN Miss E Campbell. Mr and Mrs Evan Cameron, Capt L Carbet, Mr and Mrs H K Chambers, Mr and Mrs Callow.

Daird, Mr A J Darby, Mr and Mrs T K Dealy, Mis Doberck, Br J H Doniel, Mr TE A Dalyell, 129 Bal, Mr and Mrs W Danby, Hon Mr Rees Davies, Capt W H C Davy 3rd Midd Mr L Dummock RGA, Mr C B Down RGA Capt and Mrs W D Dooner, Mr W A Dowley. Mr and Mrs W H Donald, Mr E David, Mr HBL Dowbiggin, Mr WJ Daniel, Mr FG Dickens R.N. L. W H Darwell R.N. Major F A Rumjaho. M Davidson R.G.A. Ensign Darlan A.D.C. Mr E D. vidson, Mr and Mrs J Douglas.

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Misses Fletcher, Mr and Mrs F G Figg. Mr and the Misses Shelton Hooper, Commodore | become insolvent, and who owe very large sums and Mrs-A Forbet Rev and Mrs J II France; and Mrs Stokes, Rev A J Stevens, Mr J of mon y to subjects of Her Britannic Majesty. Mr A G M Fl toher, Mr B H Floming 3rd | Gray Scott, Brother Stephen, Mr S. Mid. Lieut, and Mrs C. Fremantle RN Swart Mr. Henry Sykes, Mr and Mrs H. W Miss Figher, Mr Suart J Fuller, Mr Alan Slade Mr R Dalton Sayle, Mr H A Soile, Rev to establish at all the ports which are by France, Lieut W J Fletcher, RN, Mr J T G Searle, Capt I R S Shinkwin ASC, Mr J B | Article II of this Treaty, to be thrown open Fisher R.F. Mr A N Frager R A M C.

Mr and Mrs A G Gordon, Drand Mrs F Grave. Miss Graham, Mr H L O Garrett, Mr B and Mrs E W R Stephenson, Mr C R Salter notified and pomulgated for general informa-Warburton Gray, Mr A W Grant, Mr C H | thwaite R.E. Capt and Mrs Stanger Leather, 'tion; and the Emperor further engages that. Grace, Comm and Mrs Grenfell RN, Mr Frank 1.MS Miss Sloan, Bro Sylvester, Miss Stacey, Inchen British merchandise shill bave Grave Mr and Mrs and Miss Gott Mr W E R | Mr and Mrs C Schroter, Capt Mrs and the o ce paid at any of the said torts the Gibson, Mr and Mrs A E Griffin, Mr and Mrs Misses Spadding A.O.D. Mr. and Mrs regulated customs and dues, agreeable L Gibbs, Mr and Mrs Douglas Graham, His A H Shelton, Mr B de Szentirmsy Mr the tariff to be hereafter fixed, such mer-Honour Mr Justice Gompet tz, Major J R Gule, A R Sutherland, Mr Fizgera'd Sargent, Miss | chandise may by conveyed by Chinese ASD Comm R W Glennie KN. Lieut K | School, Mr Sloade Stanley 3 d Middlesex. | Merchants to any province or city in the Mackenzie Grieve RN Lieut R R Gossett Mr PMM and Mrs de Silva, Lieut Com ndr interior of the empire of Chins, on paying a Mrs G Grimble. Rector P Gabardi.

C M Heapley, Mr A C Hynes, Mr R R R Sutherlan , Ren A D and Miss Stewart Hynd, Mr G V Hope RGA Mr R O Hutchison | Mr T Sasaki, Mr G B J Stuart RN, Mr Dr J W Hartley, Dr and Mrs arvey Hinds, | and Mrs Marous Slade, Mr Mrs and the Miss as Mrs and Miss Hazeland, Dr and Mrs W A Seth. Hunter Mr and Mrs J L van Houten, Mr. and Mrs.R Hancock, Mr and Mrs H K Holmes, RN, Captain A Tracon and officers Mrs T W Hornby, Mr and Mrs E R Hallifax, A E Hardy, Mr R W S Hinton, Mr and Wrs Hodgins, Major and, Mrs A E Hatch 129th Baluchic, Mrs and Miss Brotherton Harker, Wilhelm Helms.

Lieut N E Isemanger, R. V. Dr and Mrs G P Jordan, Mr and Mrs F J K Jorge, Miss Jacobs, Sev F T Johnson, Mr H T Jackman, Major and Mrs T P James RAMC, Mr P Jacks, Mr J C Jonghin, Mr | Williamson ASC Mr and Mrs F A Wendt | sent to Peking but as the representations on and Mrs E Jones. Mr W Jefferd 3rd Mid, and Miss Tharmah'en, Staff Paymaster Wilson, the subject made by the British Minister to the Mr P S Jameson, Mr C Bulmer Johnson, Capt | H G Wilson RN, Mr and Mrs W van de Wonds,

Surgeon and Mrs K H Jones RN. and Gun Room officers of H M S "King Alfred" Mr and Mrs M Kob-vasbi

Commendador and Mrs. J J Leiris, Capt and White. Mrs G P Lammert HKVC, Mr and Mrs H W Looker Mr T C Lethbridge 119th Inf

Mr Mrs and Miss Lee-Jones Mr Mrs and Miss KING'S BIRTHDAY BALL. Layton Mr and Mrs Lafrents Mr P Loureiro Choa Leep-chee, Fung Wa chun,

Mrs L N Leefe, Mr E C Lewis Mr W A Hong-take, Lau Chu-Pak, Lenng Piu-Chi Lloyd R N Rev and Mrs Longridge Mr L C | Tong I al-tsun, Tseung Ng-kai, Nen | al-chun, Larmour RGA, Mr R S Lucie RGA Major | Wei Wah-leen, Wei Yuk, Wong Kam-fuk, HE Lowis 119th Inf . Capt and Mrs F W Lyons, | Yang Hin-pong, Chan Chun-chuen. Lau Yam-Mrs C F G Law, Mr E P Lang Mr F Lieb | tsun, Chui Chau-sam, Ku Fai-sham, Li Sau-hiw, Mr A R Lowe, Miss M Lee, Mr A F B Pun Yan-taun, Chan Pan-Po, Tam Tex-kong, Livesay RN Mr and Mrs E C Lane Mr and Chu Sik-ue, Tse Yam-Chi, Wong Iu tung, Mrs E C Lloyd, Mr W Lewischn RGA, Chan Keng-wan, U Chu-wan, Tso Sin-Wan

HE Large Mr C R Lenzmann.

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Lieut Nicholson, RN. Blanch, Mrs Bourne, Mrs Black, Mr and Mrs RGA, Mr A B Ogle RE, Capt J d' province. Oyly 119th Infatry:

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Commander and Mrs Basil Taylor, Mr and | sera de même de toute coalition organisés dans and Mrs A H Hollingsworth, Mr and Mrs | Mrs H E Tomkins, Mr and Mrs H P Tooker, | le but d'exercer une menopole sur le commerce. G A Hastings Mr and Mrs R. Harding, Mr Mr and Mrs W J Tutcher, Mr Mrs and Miss En cas de contravention au present Article. and Mrs J Scott Harston, Mr and Mrs B A Tennent R E. Capt and Mrs A Thompson les: autorités chinoises, sur les representations Hale, Miss E S Houlder, Miss Hawker Miss RGA. Deputy Inspector General and Mrs du consultou de l'agent consultaire, aviseront Hartshorn, M A Haupt, Dr J Spencer Haigh, Tait. Mr C W D Turner, Mr A W Thomson, aux moyens de dissoudre de semblables Mr H C R Hancock, Mr P M Hodgson, Mr Mr J W G Taylor, 119th Infantry, Mr D Will association dont elles s'efforceront d'ailleurs de C C Hickling, Hon Mr and Mrs E A Tratman, Mr and Mrs O D Thomson, Miss prévenir l'existence par des prohibitions Hewett, Mr F A. H zeland; Dr and Mrs M T Taylor, Capt and Mrs A W Tuke, IMS, | picalables, afin d'evarter tout ce qui pourrait Montigu Harston, Mr W T Hockaday, Mr | Rev C E Thompson, Mr and Mrs A Turner | porter atteinte à la libre concurrence." OCRHILRG, Mr. E. Jones, Hugher, Mr. Copt J.A. Tuko RN, Lieut and Mrs. H. Tweede, Capt A Hart Synott DSO. Miss Hamilton, d Entrecasteaux Mr and Mrs T Takamichi is illegal and contrary to treaty. Capt E C Thursby RN Mr B Tanner Capt M A Hamer, 129th Baluchie, Mr and Mrs | Mr and Mrs Vorekzsch, Mr and Mrs W W Vivian Hogg, Mr GL Hall RF, Capt S V de | Valpy, Miss Vellwock, Chevalier and Mme | opium to the Government monopolists, and in

Mr and Mrs W Malcolm Watson Mr, Mrs | himself unable to procure opium with which and Mi s. Wilson, RAMC, Dr and Mrs Bateson | to crush the business of the old established Wright, Mr W G Worcester, Mr A firms is now purchasing opium in Hongkong, W J Watt, Mr C D and Miss where owing to the different conditions which Mr and Mrs E Irving, Mr F V Izard RGA, Wilkinson, Mr E -D C Wolfer Mr A G obtain as regards the guilds, it is impossible Wood, Mr A P Wilder Mr G A Woodcock, for the dealers to come to an agreement to Mr and Mrs Franz Winkler, Mr C M T Wes- prevent the opium being secured for Nanking. tern, 129 Bitt, Mr A T Walker, Mr L G Wishart, Mr R de W Walker, Major W A F W T C Jones RMLl. Mr C W Jeffries, Lieut C C Walcott, his Honour Mr Justice Wise, Capt D Whitehead, RGA, Miss S F van Mr F C Kendall Mr and Mrs E S Kadoorie | Weibmer, Capt and Mr J K watt, Mr and against so flagrant a violation of the freatise. Hon Mr H and Mrs Keswick Dr W V M Mrs W H Williams, Capt H J Walker, RE, Kock Mr Kikuchi Mr Robert King Col F E Mr PP J Wodehouse, Mr and Mrs J F Wright Kent RGA Mr S Kingsbury Mr T Kusumoto, Mr A J Williams, Hon Mr Wei Yuk, Lieut Comr J Kiddle RN Dr F Keyt Engineer Lieut L Walker RN, Naval Major and Mrs H Kelsall P G A Wa droom | Instr R Weatherhead RN, Mrs Wakefield Mr G F C While, R A, Mr I'A Whyte , BA, Mr and Mrs Wilzer, Mr W T Whitty, Mr H P

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## H )NGK NG GENERAL CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

MINUTES CONTINUED THE OPIUM MONOPOLY CORBESPONDENCE

Hongkong, 3rd September, 1907. Sin,-I have the honour to inform you that

Lieut and Mrs H F Bell, Mr J P Braga Hon | Mr M S Northcote, Mr and Mrs H Naksyama, | establishments will be forced to suspend business Captain H Nicholson, HKVC Captain R and the while trade will be converted into a RN Mr A Bryer, Mr F B L Bowley, Mr and | Nugent, Mr Mrs and Miss Paker Ness, Flag. | close Government monopoly. The intention is to inaugurate the system in Nanking but it is Blood HKVC Captain F L Bennett RG | Mr and Mrs Evan Ormiston, Hop. Mr Caborne, understood that once the monopoly had been Contro Amiral Baisso, Mr and Mrs N F Mr A H Cugh, Mr G N Orme, Mr P O Sullivan | started it will be extended to other parts of the

This new departure has avowedly been taken Mr and Mrs H R Phelips, Mr and Mrs J by the Vicercy of Nauking for the p rpose of Craddock, Major Mrs and Mirs Chapman, A Plummer, Hon Mr H E and Mrs Pol. raising revenue and we have reason to believe lock, Mr and Mrs S L Periane, Major and Mrs that the experiment is being watched with who wish to change their trade are at liberty to L H Parry, Mr and Mrs J C Peter, interest by other Provincial Authorities who do so. Commander and Mrs M H Penfold Miss will not be slow to adopt the same course, if it

Pearson. Capt H Jybus, It col. C H U The Committee of this Chamber has on more Price, DSO, M G Piercy, Mr R S Piercy | than one occasion in the past been obliged to | the business or, by providing guarantees, can Mr A Peircy, Mr L Pattendon, Rev A Placzek, protect attempts on the part of the obtain licences to act as sub-agents for th Sir Francis Piggott Major H de T Phillips, Chinese authorities in the neighbouring Bureau. Major P E Parker, Cant G A and Miss provinces to interfere with the foreign opium Cooker, Mr Mrs and Miss Craig, Major and Parke, Hev and Mrs Pearce, r Pedro trade, and believe that, unless the Nanking crusade is shown by the fact that for the Mrs W W Chitty, Mr and Mrs Alese Counting, Prat, Mr A N Paxton, Mr W R M Vicercy is compelled to abaudon his proposed population of Nanking no less than two hundred D Pair Mr and Mrs D B Pereira, creation of a monopoly, similar causes for prepared Opium establishments are to be started, Cochrane, Mr and Mrs R Chapman, Mr and Mr D Percival, Miss Picard, Mr A C Puttey, complaint will shorely arise in the previnces of

H S S Balmer, USN, Capt Arantes Sedroso, His Excellency the Governor will be good enough to give this matter his consideration fitting opportunity for laying before His My and Mrs A G Romano, Mr and Mis E A and trust that he will support the (hamber in Ram Miss Richards, Mr and Mrs A-J Ray. protesting against this proposed infringement mond Mr and Mrs A H Rennie, Mr and Mis of our treaty rights and request the Right Lt Col A N Dumbleton RE, Mr and Mrs A | C Ryley Mr Mrs and Miss Rodger, Miss | Honourable the Secretary of State for the USN, MrSBRoss MrCH Ross Rev L Robert, support of our contention that the establish-Mr Mrs and Miss Rooks, Mr A Ramsay, ment of the proposed monopoly is contrary to Comm C S O Raikes, Lieut F A H Russell, Treaty, I would beg to refer to the following: Rev F B Bowley. Capt W R Bush USN l'Article V of the British Treaty of Nanking a tenth of the total consumption, but of late

the British Merchant trading at Canton to Haver Droppe, Col C H Darling, Lieut G C Admiral Moore, Mr A W L Robertson Mr deal exclusively with certain Chinese Merchante, called Hong Merchants (or Co-Hong), Capt and Mrs J B Sayer, Cipt and who had been licensed by the Chinese Govern-Mrs T Skinner, Mr and Mrs W J Saunders, ment for this purpose, the Emperor of China and Mrs E Evan Jones, Mr G W Eves, Miss Mrs F O Stedman, M. R. Soulange | ports where British Merchants may reside, and | dually replacing the more expensive Eyrc, Mr W B Elw. s, Mr Jorgen E tzken, Mr To sier, Mr and Mrs Grant Smith, Mr Z | to permit them to carry on their mercantile articles. CE East, Lt TK rimsley R.N. Capt SE Shilbuys, Mr and Mrs E Stellihan. Or and transactions with whatever persons they please: Mr H G Fisher Mr Denman Fuller, Mr E Mr and Mrs Frank Smythe, Rev J G M due to British subjects by some of the said Freyvogel, Mr Arnold Fuchs, Mr G-Friesland, Spads, Mr and Mrs E Bruc, Shepherd, Mr Mrs Hong Merchants, or Co-Hong, who have

Article X. of the same Treaty .-"His Majesty the Emperor of China agrees" mart AOD, Mr H Percy Smith, Miss C Shel- Mor the resort of British Merchants, a fair and De and Mrs R M Gibson, Mr Eric Georg, bourne, Mr J R M Smith, Mr T H Stainton pregular tariff of export and in port customs 19th Inf. Lieut Col and Mrs cy nour, Major | and other dues, which tariff shall be publicly RGA, Li ut G M Skinner RN, Staff exceed—per cent. on the tariff value of such

Article XIV of the French Tresty of Tientsin of 1858 :--

"Aucune société de commerce privilegiée ne pourra désormais s'établir en Chine, et il

There can be no question but that in view of the above the action of the Nanking Viceroy The British firms in Shanghai, in order to

protect their interests have agreed not to sell this way they have the support of the Chinese We understand that strong protests against the action of the Viceroy have already ben Waiwupu have as yet not had the desired effect. it appears to the Committee of this Chamber that this Colory should also join in protesting For the information of His Excellency 1 beg

firms in Hongkong, dated 27th August. 2. Copy of letter addressed to H. B. M. Consul General at Shanghai by the foreign opium dealers at that port, dated 17th June. 3. Copy of letter addressed to the Chairman of the China Association at Sh nghai by the same firms dated lith July.

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4. Copy of letter addressed to H. B. M. 1 Consul General at Shanghai by the opium firms, diled 2nd August.

5. 2 extracts from "Sin Wan Pao". 6. Translation of a letter received by the foreign opium firms at Shanghai from the Opium Guild.

7. Translation of an Official despatch published in the "South China Journal" of the Vicercy of Liang Riang re, the erection of an Opium ROBINSON PIANO Monopoly Office. Since writing the above the translation of a

proclamation issued by the officers in charge of the so called Kiang Nan Anti-Opium\_and Government Monopoly Bureau has been received, copy of which is enclosed (No. 8).

Although the Bureau attempts to shield itself under the title of "Anti-opium" and the proclamation commences with reference to the Decrees which have been promulgated prohibit ing the sale of the drug, it is very evident that the establishment of a Government Monopoly with its accompanying revenue is the main

The proclamation explains the situation very clearly. All dealers are now obliged to take a license and must sell their opium exclusively to the Bureau.

After stating that the number of licences will be limited the following significant paragraph appears "Those (existing dealers in opium)

The public opium shops and divans being closed, the sale of opium is to be farmed out to those who have sufficient capital to engage in

The value of the movement as an anti-opium 120 in the city\_itself and 80 in the suburbs.

The question of interference with the opium Frank Child, Mr and Mrs R. H. Crofton, Mr Playne, Captain and Mrs. O. Lloyd Price, Mr I have, therefore, the honour to request that trade by high Chinese Officials having again been raised, the Committee considers this a Excellency certain points in relation to the proposed gradual suppression of the opium business which appear to them worthy of note.

> It is not easy to correctly estimate the total amount of opium consumed in Chins, but as is [Extracts from the 'Hongkong Daily Press," well known, the habit is universal and extends throughout the whole of the Empire. Roughly it may be estimated that the foreign

opium imported into China represents about This change is at all events in part due to the fact that the production of opium is one of the

Without going into the question as to wl Frs. ine-R.N. Capt Engel and Officers' Lei. Miss Skipton, Mr and Mrs R and His Imperial Majesty further agrees to ther it is wise, even if possible, to entirely who on earth can catch them? But the pass Shewan Mr and Mrs A W Schellhaas; Mr A pay to the British Government the sum of suppress the use of the drug, it will be perhaps system makes the space between the water and Mr G G Franklin, Mr A T Frost R A M C Findley Smith, Miss Scollard, Miss A D Sibree, three millions of dollars, on account of debts as well to remark that all native races have some the hill, dangerous ground. We really think, sort of stimulant or drug, the use of which, so long as it is not abused, cannot be objected to, that five or ten cents each should be charged for except by a few extreme enthusiasts.

China if carried in effect may bring a still worse evil upon the country and this has already been foreshadowed by the increased use of so called "anti-opium pills and merphine, the use of the latter, by hypodermic injection, being on Commissioner Yeh in his hate and desparation, the increase, particularly in the neighbourhood of the treaty ports, to an alarming extent,

While admitting that the Brilish Govern ment should do all in its power to assist the nothing more likely. The Police force has Imperial Government in any serious attempt certainly improved very much indeed whilst which may be made to curtail and ultimately Mr. Grandpre has had charge. We see a number perhaps suppress the use of opium, it appears to this Committee desirable to point out at this stage the risk which we run of having a now, - and some esprit de corps is clearly making valuable section of British trade destroyed solely its appeara ce in the body. We hope that they for the benefit of native compelition.

opposed to the importation of foreign opium not only is the import duty, but also the full the goal. Whilst the Ad niral is clearing his likin, collect dat the port of entry, and being lot the most vigilant mersures should be adoptremitted to Peking by the Imperial Maritime ed here. Not a Chinaman should be allowed Customs all chance of undue profit therefrom is in the street after sunset. Watch towers with cet to the Provincial Authorities who are what bells should be placed at convenient and close is to them an untaxed article passing their distances. Places of rendezvous arranged-

the hands of high Chinese Officials and is of patrol should be called out. It might cost course, a s urce of enormous revenue to them \$2,000 but then the accounts might by fudged and to all through whose districts it passes congle erated and mystified, enabling Sir or in which it is consumed.

officials in the Empire are quite sincere in their asking for it. wish to check the production and consumption. of opium, in which no doubt they are being, to The report about Lord Elgin having proa certain extent, support d by what may be ceeded in a Gun boat off the City of Canton is described as a popular movement but though we learn un'rue. We hear that H. E. did edicts to this effect may be issued, it is quite not proceed higher than the site of the Fatanother matter to carry them into effect, shan fight, which his anxiety to visit was a particularly in the more distant parts of the very pretty compliment to the victors. We Empire and it is incorceivable that within so were much surprized when we were told that short a space of time as ten years the whole His Lordship had proceeded to Canton-fr of Swatow. The monopolist, therefore, finding cultivation of the poppy can be put an end to. not only would such an act be of itself fool

dependent upon this opium industry for a Chinese a claim to open negociations, living and too sudden a change, if they are . In our opinion H. E. has shown himself forced to stop the production, or transportation, to be the very man he was taken for, He of crium can only result in failure of the has acted in the most circumspect consistent movement or rebellion.

would wish to impress upon His Excillency is shunned connections he considered disreputthat no steps should by taken by His Majesty's able. Biding his time and keeping his own Government to curtail the foreign opium trade counsel, he has avoided all bombast and egountil there is ample evidence that a proportionate tistical bossts, whilst he has exhibited much reduction is being made in the production of the |zeal, notivity and desire for information. What native drug.

The Committee consider that, as matters voluminous titles! now stand, there is no guarantee that the Provincial Anthorities as a whole seriously 1. Copy of letter received from the British intend to suppress the opium smoking but are merely taking advantage of the present movement to further their own personal ends and Charman t and Special Skin Tonic and Pondre increase their own revenue at the expense of Charmant will enable you to do it. Her a very valuable section of British trade,

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We have heard that the Home Government have disapproved of the Ordinance which years while the area under poppy cultivation in regulates among other things, the use of night "The Government of China having compelled China has steadily increased, the importation passes. We consider that the law as far as of Indian and Persian opium has declined. the night passes are concerned is most beneficial and salutary, and we do sincerely hope that it most remunerative crops in the whole Empire, may never fall into disnetude. Bad characters while owing to the gradual improvement cannot live in any town if their nocturnal Me and Mrs J C E d'Eskarre R.G.A, Dr Mr and Mrs M J D Stephens. Dr and agrees to abolish that practice in future at all in the quality of the native drug, this is gra- preambulations are put a stop to. Hongkong is a most convenient place for bad charactersthey come by the water, escapa by the hill and these passes, to pry for the expense of issuing The total suppression of the use of opium in and registering them. We are sure that it would be obserfully paid, and that they would be much more thought of than they are now.

Whilst upon this subject it strikes us that may attempt something mischievous in Hongtkonz when the force is occupied at Cantonof smart well dressed good looking fellows in it mar still be kept on the alert for it would be As is well known the local officials are all she cking to be tripped up when we are so near barriers and competing with their own opium. | slaims regulated. All the lamp posts should The culivation of native opium is largely in have lights at the top of them, and the City John Bowring to wheedle £10,000 out of Mr. It is quite probable that several of the leading [Labouchere just as easy as. . . . well.

Large districts in many of the provinces and hardy and dangerous, but even were it safe. countless thousands of Chinese of all classes are the very fact of it being so would give the

districted manner possible. He has reposed The point therefore that the Committee confidence where it was merited, and has a contrast to the learned knight with the

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F. W. LYONS. Captain Supt. of Police Hongkong, 9th November 19.7.

# MAGISTRACY

TT IS HEREBY NOTIFIED that a MEETING of His Majesty's Justices of the Peace will be held at the Magistracy, at 2.15 P.M. on TUESDAY, the 19th November, 1907, for the purpose of considering the following application under the Liquor Licences Ordinance, 598, Ordinance No. 8 of 1898),

From one CHAN HONKEY for an Adjunct Licence to sell by retail intoxicating liquors on premises numbered 13, Queen's Road Central, under the sign of . THE CON. NAUGHT HOTEL, F. A. HAZELAND.

Police Magistrate. Hongkong, 8th November, 1907.

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Hongkong 27th August, 1907. Hon. Mr. E. A. HEWETT, Chairman,

Hongkong General Chamber of Commerce, SIR-We have the honour to bring to your attention the following copies of correspondence in connection with the intention of the Victory at Nanking to grant a monoply of the Opium

trade in Nanking. 1. Copy of letter addressed to H.B.M.'s Consul Ceneral at Shanghai by the foreign opium dealers there dated 27th June. 2. Copy of letter addressed to the Chairman

of the China Association dated 11th July. 3. Copy of letter addressed to H.B.M.'s Consul General, Shanghai, dated 2nd August. -i.-Ex'racts from "ain Wan Pao". 5. Translation of a letter addressed to im.

The Undersigned, AGENTS for the above porters by the Swatow Opium Guild in Shanghai. 6 Translation of an Official despatch published in the "South China Journal" of the Viceroy

of Liang re the crection of an Opium Monopoly In connection with the above, which will give you full information on the matter, we beg to not have the same outlet as hitherto. Their inform you that an emissary of the Viceroy of previous purchases of Opium which are yet Nanking is now in the Colony and has actually

purchased Op um for the Bureau. We understand that the Chinese Authorities in the other provinces are closely watching the course of events at Nanking with a view, if successful, of forming monopolies in the other centres of the opium trade also.

We would therefore request you to give this important question prompt attention and lay the matter before the Government or take such other steps as may appear advisable to your Committee .- We have the thon our to be. Sir Your obedient servants.

DAVID SASSOON & Co., Lo. H. M. H. NEMAZEE

PHIROZIHA B. PETIT & Co. Shanghai 27th June 1967.

DEAR SIR, - We beg to bring to your notice the following:— Some of the Chinese Opium dealers here have received information from their constituents in Nanking that the Vicercy there intends granting the monopoly of the Opium trade in Nunking to a few dealers, who out will be allowed to import Opium there. So fano official notification has been issued, but as there is every probability of its coming into force at any moment, and subsequenly a similar monopoly is intended to be given here and elsewhere, we think it advisable to lay the matter before you so that immediate steps may be taken to stop its being carried into effect, Such monopolies would prevent other dealors from participating in the Opinio trade thus

to importers who will be at the mercy of a few who hold the monopolies, as regards prices etc. It would also be greatly prejudicial to the interest of the Indian Governme t if such a scheme is permitted to be enforced specially in the present unsetiled and unsatisfactory state of the Opium trade owing to the action of the Chinese Government in closing up the ablic smoking dens, and importers, in view of the further uncertainty of demand from those who would hold the monopoly, would curtail importation, which would mean a material reduction of their purchases from the Government of India's

destroying the healthy competition and thereby

crippling the business and causing heavy losses

monthly sales. We therefore beg to request you to be good enough to take immediate action and oppose the movement and, if necessary, to communnicate with H. B. M.'s Minister at Peking as it is in contravention of Article X of the treaty of Nanking of 1842, which provides that British merchandise baving paid the re gulated Customs and dues such merchandise may be conveyed by Chinese merchants to any province or city in the empire of Chins. The said monopoly, if granted, would therefore be tantamount to placing restrictions on Chinese merchants in general. We may add that we are afraid, if the monopoly is given, that the Chinese Officials may push the consumption of

native Opium to the detriment of foreign drug. We remain, Sir. Your most obedient servants. DAVID SASSOON & CO. LD. E. D. Sassoon & Co. E. PABANKY. CAWABJEE PALLANJEE & Co. S. J. DAVID & Co. TATA & Co. A EBRAHIM & Co.

D. E. J. ARBAHIM & Co. P. B. Petit & C TALATI & Co. and others. To Sir Pelham L. Warren, K.C.M.G., H.B.M.'s Cousul General,

Shanghai, 11th July 1907.

E. B. SKOTTEWE, Erq., Chairman, China Association, Present.

translation of three articles which appeared in steady to firm for a good many stocks. The Chinese newspapers on different dates, from sterling demand rate tof exchange on London which you will observe that the Vicercy of closes at 2s. 0fd., while rates on Shanghai are Nanking is making rapid preparations to take, Tls, 74 for a Bank T/T, and Tls. 74 for a three on behalf of the Chinese Government, the mono- days' sight Private Bill. Barsilver on London poly of Opium. This, if allowed to come into is quoted 27.3/16d. and Consols £82. The force, would destroy competition and thereby London Bank rate of discount has advanced to cripple the trade and is in direct contravention of article 14 of the Treaty of Tientsin of 1859 which is as follows; -

"No privileged commercial society shall shall apply to any organised coalition having for its end the exercise of a monopoly of trade. In case of the contravention of the present article the Chinese Authorities, on the reas to the means of dissolving such associations. existence by the preceding prohibitions, so as to

the favoured nation clause.

of Nanking of 1842, which is as follows: "The Government o' Chira having compelled called Hong merchants (or Co-Hong.) who had and \$87, and can be placed at latter rate. been licensed by the Chinese Government for | SHIPPING SHARES,-Hongkong, Canton and this purpose, the Emperor of China agrees to Macao Steamboat Shares sold in fair quantities abolish that practice in future at all ports where ... at \$29½ to \$30½ cash, also at \$33% for end of the

British merchants may reside, and to permit year, closing with a few cash shares offering with whatever persons they please."

dispatched yesterday to Messrs. David Sassoon at 43s, while the London rate is 42s, sollers following teligraphic information dated 1st & Co., Ld. in London to promptly protest to Union Waterboats have sellers at \$11. For the information of His Excellency I | the Foreign Office, on behalf of importers, beg to enclose copy of a telegram which is against this monopoly, and we would request you iness. being sent through the Hongkong and Shang: to take this matter up and wire to your MI hal Banking Corporation to His Majesty's Association in London to communicate with changed. Raubs changed hands at \$9, \$91 and data-150,000 gallons; kerosene in ide since the Minister at Peking to whom a copy of this L'e above mentioned firm, with supply of full parletter will also be forwarded.—I have the honour ticulars regarding this question, We shall a telegram from the mine reports a crushing of 96,000 cases; kerosene shipped since 110,000 convenience, that you are wiring to London to smelted gold, also a result of 216 ounces of 47,000 cases. Watkins can be placed at \$21, and Wm. Powells at \$51. Other stocks under prompt attention. On hearing from you that process, making a total of 1.273 onne's of gold. this heading are unchanged and we have 'no you are willing to accord us your support, we Chinese Engineering and Mining Company's sales to report. shall wire to London to put at the disposal of shares can be placed at Tls. 144; the total output your Association all particulars relative to this of the Company's three mines for the week question. We shall be glad to defray tole; ended 19th ultimo, amounted to 26,948 tons of graphic and other expenses incurred by the coal, and the sales during the same period to Association regarding this matter.

We may mention that H.B.M's Consul General here has received from the Consul of Nanking confination that a monopoly is being formed and has already wired to H.B.M's Minister at Peking, but so far no reply has been

> Yours faithfully, (Signed) DAVID S 8800N & Co. LD. E. D. SASSOON & Co. S. J. DAVID & Co. .

> > Shanghai 2nd August 1907 OPIUM NONOPOLY,

SIR,-With reference to the several interviews which the representatives of the Sassoons had with you, on our behalf regarding the above. sales. important subject, we now beg to enclose a translation of the letter which our Chinese dealers have addressed to us, from which you will observe that if the monopoly comes into force they may not be able to fulfil their outstanding contracts with us as their Opium will uncleared, now stand at about 2500/3000 chests: of the value of about two million tacle.

Since the monopoly question sprang up the market has been slumped to the extent of about Tls. 70. per chest, notwithstanding the reduction of sale by the Indian Government of 4 () chosts monthly commencing from last month. which should have had the contrary effect.

The considerable losses which we have already suffered and the further heavy losses which are likely to accrue on our large holdings if the monopoly is allowed to be enforced, have resulted from the action of the Chinese Government which is in direct contravention of article V of the Treaty of Nanking of 1842 and article XIV of the Treaty of Tientsin of 1858 between France and China and which is calculated to ruin the trade in Foreign Opium with the intention apparently of pushing the consumption of native drug.

In view of the above facts, we consider that it would be only just that we should be indemnified by the Chinese Government for the losses which we have had to bear, and for any subsequent losses which may arise if immediate action is not taken to abolish the monopoly. The intention of the British Government was the gradual reduction of the Opium trade and i's ultimate abolition in the space of ten years, whereas the action of the Chinese Government is to suddenly extinguish the trade in foreign Opium and thereby cripple the resources of all those who are interested in it, instead of endeavouring to decrease the large areas in the interior under poppy cultivation. We therefore earnestly request you to take immediately such action as you deem necessary to bring the monopoly to a speedy termination, and would ber you to give us, as soon as possible, information as to the re-ult of your action, so that we may know how to regulate our purchases at the Government of India's monthly auction sales.

We remain, Sir, Your most obedient se vants. Sir Pelham Wabren K.C.M.G. [Signed by the merchants.]

EXTRACT FROM "SIN WAN PAO." Proposed establishment of Gove nment Opium Monopoly Burgan.

With reference to our report concerning the closing of Opium shops at the various places in Nanking and the appointment of an inspector to make enquiry regarding the Opium ships, so as to obtain a list of the Opium shopkeepers and employees, which will be submitted and filed for reference, and the funds for carrying out the scheme had already been prepared by the Governor, it is now learned that the opinion of the prefect Hoo Shao Nga is that since the funds derived from the Opium Tax hitherto directed for the maintenance of the Polic, Judicial and other departments as well as for carrying out the new administration in its various forme, these departments would, after the suppression of the Opium shops is put in operation, be in lack of funds which are quite necessary, He therefore intends to establish a Government Opium Monopoly Bureau from which all the Opium smoking shops after having been converted into prepared Opium shops will be ordered to get their supply of Opium for sale in the market. In this way not only the price of opium will be enormously increased, but the funds above mentioned will also not be exhausted. According to information, the regulations bearing on the present proposal have been submitted for perusal and

[To be continued,]

SHALE RELORT.

Messrs. Erich Georg & Co. say in their weekly share report, dated November, 9th 1907.— With the exception of a fair business in Bank Shares, and Hongkong, Canton and Macao Boats, very little has been done during the week, DEAR SIR,-We beg to enclose herein and the market closes rather quiet, although

BANK SHARES,-A good many sales of (ratified in 1860) between France and China, Hongkong and Shanghais have been effected at \$660, \$657\frac{1}{2}, \$660 and \$662\frac{1}{2} for old, and \$655, \$650, \$652½ and \$655 for new shares, the market henceforth be stablished in China, and the name | closing steady at \$660 for old and \$655 for new shares; London quotes £74 and £73 respectively, Nationals are unchanged.

firm at \$780, and China Traders continue in presentation of the Consular agent, shall advise | request at \$90. North Chinas have buyers at Tls. 74. Yangtszes are quoted \$165 in Shanghai, of which they are also bound to prevent the so we follow this quotation; shareholders are reminded that the new shares will be allotted on remove all that may stand in the way of free the 30th instant, and that applications together with the amount due for same should be sent in This treaty also affords protection to us under to the Company on or. before that date. The transfer books will be closed from the 30th We may also quote article V of the Treaty | instant to the 10th proximo, both days inclusive. Cantons have sellers at \$250.

FIBE INSURANCE SHARES. - Hongkongs the British merchants trading at Canton to | sold at \$305 to \$310, closing with buyers at the deal exclusively with certain Chinese merchants. | bigher figure. Chinese changed hands at \$861

them to carry on their mercantile transaction at \$304. Indo-Chines, as well as C ina and \$101. China Providents have been done at \$314 We may state that a telegram has been without business. Shell Transports have sellers Langkat have improved to Tls. 3271; the

DOCKS, WHARVES, GODOWNS, &c .- Hongkong and Whampoa Dock Co.'s shares have ruled very quiet, selling in small lots at \$103 and \$102 and closing at \$100. Fenwicks, and Now Amoy Dooks are unchanged. Shanghai Docks are quoted in the north Tls. 74, and Shanghai and Hongkew Wharves Tls. 2074. Hongkong and Kowloon Wharves are quiet but steady at \$67. LANDS, HOT'LS AND BUI'DINGS,-Houg-

kong Land Investment and Agency Company's shires are obtainable at \$96. Humphreys sold and have sellers at \$1713. Order stocks under this heading are uno anged and without sales. COTTON MILLS .- nobanged and without

SUNDRY M NUFACTURING COMPANIES .-Green I'land Coment Shares changed hands at Silk \$111, closing standy at the lower figure. Ropes are qu'et at \$ 5%. Other, stocks under this heading are unchanged and withou transactions.

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CHOYSANG, British str., 9th Nov.-Canton. FOOESANG, British str., 1,987, T. Mitchell, 9th November-Moji 5th November, General -Jardine, Matheson & Co. FRITHJOP, Norwegian str., 891, O. Andersen, 10th November-Swatow 9th November.

General-Ocaka Shosen Kaisha. FURUSHU MARU, Japanese str., 1,090, T. Ito, 10th November-Apping 7th N. v., General -Oraka Shosen Kaisha.

GLENLOGAN, British str., 3,754, James Mo-Gregor, 9th Nov.-Lordon via Ports 25th Sept., General-McGregor Bros. & Gow. HAICHING, British str., 1,267, A. E Hodgins, 10th November-Cast Ports 9th Nov. General-Douglas, Lapraik & Co.

HELFINE, German str., 771, J. Jessen, 10th November-Tourane, Quinhon and Hoihow 9th November, Rico-Jebsen & Co. Hongkone, French str., 742, A. Cornelinsen 9th November-Haiphong and Hoihow 8th Nov., General-A. R. Marty. KWEILIN, British str., 1,027, Bards, 10th Nov.

-Wuhu and Chinkiang 6th Nov. Rice-Butterfield & Swire. KWEIYANO, British str., 1,044, M. Dawson, 10th Nov.= Newchwang and Chefoo 5th Nov., General-Butterfield & Swire. NICHIBEI MARU, Jap. str., 10th Nov.—Canton,

OCEAN MONABCH, British str., W. Murray, 10th November-Keelung 8th November, General-Shewan, Tomes & Co. BIGNAL, German sir, 907, Bohlaikier, 9th Nov. -Haiphong and Hoihow 7th Nov., Rice-Jebsen & Co.

YORWARDS, German sir., 643, Frandsen, 9th November-Kwang-chow-wan 8th Nov., General—Jebsen & Cc. YEBOSHI MARU, Jaranese sir., 4,097, B. Kon, 9th Nov.-Bombay and Singapore 2nd Nev., General-Nippon Yusen Kaisha,

DEPARTURES. 9th November. AMERICA MARU, Jap. str., for San Francisco. Amigo, German str., for Haiphong. CARL DIEDERICHSEN, Ger. str., for Holhow. CHIHLI, British str., for Haiphong. CHITUEN, Chinese str., for Shanghai.

CHOYSANG, British str., for Swatow. KURICHOW, British str., for Tientsin. KWANGLEE, Chinese str., for Canton. Loongsang, British str., for Manila. SEXTA, German str., for Mauritius. SHINSHU MARU, Japanese str., for Sourabays. STANDARD, Norwegian str., for Chefoo. TSURUGISAN MARU, Japanese str., for Moji. 10th November.

DAIJIN MARU, Japanese str., for Swatow. KANSU, British str., for Shanghai. TJIPANAS, Dutch str., for Samarange VORWARDS, German str., for K. C. Wan. YESAN MARU, Japanese str., for Kuchinotzu.

BHIPPING REPORTS. The Norwegian str. Frithjof reports: Strong N. E. monsoon and clear.

The British sir. Kweilin reports: Strong monsoon and high following sea, clear weather. The British str. Fooksang reports: Moderate N. Essterly breeze, moderate following see, fine and clear weather till arrival.

The Pritish str. Kweiyang reports: Moderate Boutherly wind to Saddle Island, then strong N.W. and N. E. wind with rough sea, fine weather throughout,

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"ISCHIA." Captain Dini, will be despatched as above TO DAY, the 11th Nov., at Noon, For further particulars regarding Freight and Passage, apply to

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CARLOWITZ & Co., Hongkong, 1st November, 1907.

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Next sailings will be as follows: S.S. "TONKIN" 8.8. "POLYNESIEN" ... 10th Dec. 8.8. " TOURANE " ... ... 24th Dec. G. DE CHAMPEAUX,

Hongkong, 30th October, 1907.

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Parcels will be received at this Office until P.M. the day before sailing. The contents and value of all packages are required. For further particulars, apply to E. A. HEWETT,

Superintendent Hongkong, 4th November, 1907.



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KISEN KAISHA.

Horgkong, 31st October, 1907.

SOUTH AMERICAN LINE.

Regular Steamship Service between Hongkong CALLAO AND IQUIQUE, VIA JAPAN PORTS (Karatsu, Kobe and Yckohama.) With option to Call at Mexican and other Coast Ports.

Steamers 'KATHARINE PARK" 5,000 End of Nov. "KASATO MARU" ..... 6,100 Sometime in

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Pacific S. N. Co. K. MATSDA, Manager, York Pullding. Hongkong, 12th October, 1907.

## PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGITION COMPANY.

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Hougkong. 4th November, 1907.

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	HOIHOW and HAIPHONG	"HUPEH"	On 14th Nov., D'light
	EWATOW and SHANGHAI	† "SHAOHSING"	On 16th Nov., 4 P.M.
	TIENTSIN CEBU and ILOILO	"HUICHOW"	On 19th Nov., 4 P.M.
	CEDU AND TLUILO	* "HANYANG"	On 19th Nov., 4 P.M.
	PWAIUW and SHANGHAI	+ "YOCHOW"	On DOth Man Anse
	SWATOW and SHANGHAI	+ "KIIIKIANG"	On 23rd Nov., 4 P.M.
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	COOKTOWN, CAIRNS,		
•	TOWNSVILLE, BRISBANE,	Lat "Offingers"	
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Hongkong, 8th November, 1:07.

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T. ARIMA, Manager

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FOR	STEAMERS	TO SAIL
KUDAT and SANDAKAN}	"BORNEO" Capt. F. SEMBILL	Wed'day, 13th
SHANGHAI, NAGASARI, KOBE and YOKOHAMA	"SACHSEN" Capt. WOLTEMAS	J 9 A.M. About Thursday, 14th November.
YOKOHAMA and KOBE	'PRINZ SIGISMUND"	About Friday,
SHANGHAI, NAGASAKI, KOBE PR	INZREGENT LUITPOLD' Capt. KIECHNER	About Tuesday, 19th November.
NAPLES, GENOA, ALGIERS GIBRALTAR, SOUTHAMPTON, ANTWERP & BREMEN	"PRINZ LUDWIG" Capt. v. Pinzer	Thursday, 21st Nov., at Noon.

BANE, SYDNEY & MELBOURNE ? Capt. D. Lenz. Dec., at Noon, For further Particulars, apply to

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"PRINZ SIGISMUND"

GENERAL AGENTS, HONGKONG & CHINA. -Hongkong, 9th November, 1907.

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4	TJILATJAP	JAPAN	Second half of Nov	JAVA PORTS "	Second half of Nov.
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"PRINZ LUDWIG" - Capt von Binzer,	9,630	On	MARCH	25тн
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"INDRA" LINE LIMITED.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

THE Company's Steamship

FROM NEW YORK VIA SUEZ CANAL.

'INDRANI" having arrived from the above Ports, Consigness of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods, are being landed and placed at their risks into the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company's hazardous and/or extra hazardous Godown, where each consignment will be sorted out mark by mark, and delivery can be obtained as soon as the Goods are landed.

Goods not cleared by the 11th inst., at 5 R.M. will be subject to rent. No Fire Insurance has been effected by un

in any case whatever. All damaged packages must be left in tue Godowns, and a certificate of the damage obtained from the Godown Company within ten days after the vessel's arrival here, after which no claims will be recognised.

Optional goods will be landed here unless instructions are given to the contrary before NOON, TO-DAY.

JARDINE, MATHESON &.CO., LD. Agents. Hongkong, 5th November, 1907

"BEN" LINE OF STEAMERS. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

SS. "BENLEDI," FROM MIDDLESBRO, LONDON AND BTRAITS.

informed that all Goods are being landed at their risk into the hazardous and/or extra hazardons Godowns of the Hougkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Co. Ltd., whence and/or from the wharves delivery may be obtained.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 12th iast, will be subject

All Claims against the Steamer must be presented to the Undersigned on or before the 20th inst., or they will not be recognized. All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowas, where they will be examined on the 12th inst, at 11 A.M. No Fire Insurance has been effected.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Agents. Hongkong, 5th November, 1907.

NAVIGAZIONE GENERALE ITALIANA (Florio and Rubattine United Companies).

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. FROM BOMBAY AND SINGAPORE. THE Steamship

"ISCHIA," having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo by her are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk, into the hazardous and/or extra hazardous Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Co., Ltd., whence delivery may be obtained; Perishable Goods to be taken delivery of immediately.

All Claims must be sent to the Office of the undersigned before Noon on the 12th inst., or they will not be recognised, No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining

undelive ed aft r the 12th inst., will be subject All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are Kwangles, Chinese str., 1,484, R. Lincoln. to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 12th inst., at 9.30 A.M.

No Fire Insurance has been effected. CARLOWITZ & CO., Agents. Hougkong, 6th November, 1907.

NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD, BREMEN. IMPERIAL GERMAN MAIL LINE.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. THE Steamship

"PRINCESS ALICE." having arrived, Consignees of Cargo are hereby in ormed that their Goods, with the exception of Opium, Treasure and Valuables, are being I inded and stored at their risk into the hazar lous and/or extra hazardens Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Co., Ltd., Kowloon, whence delivery

may be obtained. Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before Tue:-DAY, the 5th inst., at 5 P. w. No Claims will be admitted after the Gools

have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 12th inst., will be subject to rent. All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Golowns, where they will be

All Claims must reach us before the 16th inst., or they will not be recognised. No Fire Insurance will be effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by the

undersigned. NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD.

MELCHERS & Co.,

Hongkong, 5th November, 1907.

examined on the 12th in d., at 9.30 A M.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

TIHE H. A. L. Steamship.

'SILESIA,"

Balls, having arrived Consigness of Cargo are bereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature by the Undersigned and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless

notice to the contrary be iven To-DAY. Any Cargo impeding her discharge will be landed into the hazardous and/or extra hazardous Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, Limited, and TILIWONG, Dutch str., 3,016, Von Wych stored at Consigness risk and expense. All Claims must be presented within ten days

of the steamer's arrival here, after which date they cannot be recognised. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining

undelivered after the 13th inst. will be subject to rent. All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be

examined on the 12th inst., ut 3 r.m. No Fire Insurance has been effected. · HAMBURG-AMERIKA LINIE, Hongkong Office. Hongkong, 7th November, 1907.

## NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

THEP. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamer

FROM ANTWERP, LONDON, MALTA,

PORTSAID, SUEZ & STRAITS. Consignees of Cargo by the above-name i vessel are hereby informed that their goods are being-landed and placed AT THEIR BISK in the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown

consignment will be sorted out mark by mark and delivery can be obtained as soon as the goods are landed. Optional goods will be landed here unless instructions are given to the contrary before

Company's Godowns at Kowloon where each

Goods not cleared by the 13th inst., at 4 P. M., will be subject to rent.

No Fire Insurance will be effected by me in any case whatever. Damaged packages must be left in the Godowns for examination by the Consignee's and the Company's representative at an appointed hour. All claims must be presented within ten days of the steamer's arrival here, after which date they cannot be recognised. No claims

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November - Kulchino'za 2nd November. Coal-Mitsui Bussan Kaisha. ... TEAN, British str., 1,346, A. Fommerville, 8th November -- Manila 5th November, General -Butterfield & Swire.

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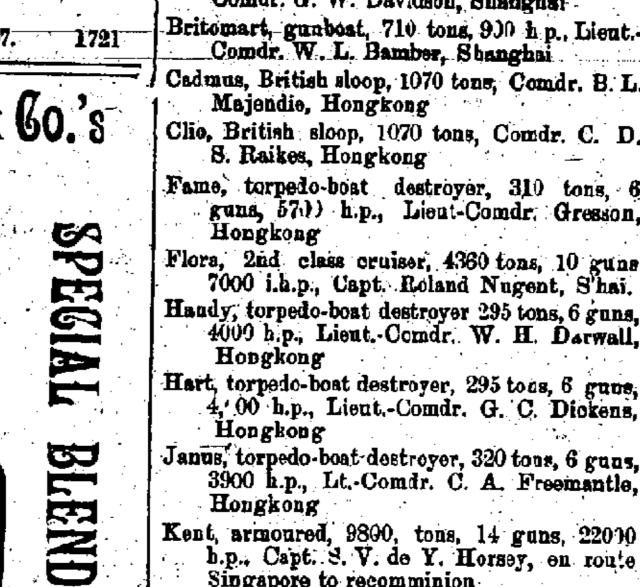
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and the Straits left Singapore for this port on 4th inst. at 6 p.m., and may be expected here to day.

THE GERMAN MAIL.

The I.G.M. str. Sachsen carrying the German Mails with dates from Berlin of the 14th ult left Singapore on Saturday the 9th inst. at 5 p.m., and may be expected here on or about Thursday the 14th inst, at 1 p.m.

The O. & O. str. China, sailed from Yokohama .yesterday, and is due to arrive at this port via Manile on the 15th inst.

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